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MFT: B&P § 4982.26 LCSW: B&P § 4992.33 LEP: B&P § 4986.71 B&P § 4989.58 GP: B&P § 729	Engaging in Sexual Contact with Client / Former Client	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery.</li> </ul>	Revocation / Denial of license or registration     Cost recovery.      The law requires revocation/denial of license or registration.  The Board considers this reprehensible offense to warrant revocation/denial.
MFT: B&P § 4982(aa)(1) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(x)(1) LEP: B&P § 4989.54(y)(1)	Engaging In Act with a Minor Punishable as a Sexually Related Crime Regardless of Whether the Act occurred prior to or after registration or licensure. or Engaging in act described in Section 261, 286, 288a, or 289 of the Penal code with a minor or an act described in Section 288 or 288.5 of the Penal Code regardless of whether the act occurred prior to or after the time the registration or license was issued by the Board.	Revocation / Denial of license or registration     Cost recovery.  The Board considers this reprehensible offense to warrant revocation/denial.	Revocation / Denial of license or registration     Cost recovery.  The Board considers this reprehensible offense to warrant revocation/denial.
MFT: B&P § 4982(k), 4982.26 LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(k), 4992.33	Sexual Misconduct (Anything other than as defined in B&P Section 729)	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>120-180 days minimum actual suspension and such additional time as may be necessary to obtain and review psychological/psychiatric evaluation and to implement any recommendations from that evaluation</li> <li>successfull completion the required Take and pass licensure examinations as a condition precedent to resumption of practice</li> <li>7 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Psychological/psychiatric evaluation as a condition precedent to resumption of practice</li> <li>Supervised practice</li> <li>Psychotherapy</li> </ul>	Revocation / Denial of license or registration Cost recovery.  (See B&P 4982.26, 4986.71, 4989.58 4992.33) The Board considers this reprehensible offense to warrant revocation/denial.

		Education     Take and pass licensure examination     Reimbursement of probation program And if warranted, enter and complete a rehabilitation program approved by the Board; abstain from controlled substances/use of alcohol, submit to biological fluid testing and samples; restricted practice, reimbursement of probation program costs.	
MFT: B&P § 4982(k) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(k)	Commission of an Act Punishable as a Sexually Related Crime	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>120-180 days minimum actual suspension and such additional time as may be necessary to obtain and review psychological/psychiatric evaluation and to implement any recommendations from that evaluation</li> <li>Psychotherapy</li> <li>5 years probation; standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Psychological/psychiatric evaluation as a condition precedent to the resumption of practice</li> <li>Supervised practice</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> <li>And if warranted, restricted practice.</li> </ul>	Revocation / Denial of license or registration     Cost recovery.
MFT: B&P § 4982(c), 4982.1 LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(c), 4992.35 LEP: B&P § 4986.70(c), 4989.26 4986.75 GP: B&P § 480, 820	Impaired Ability to Function Safely Due to Mental Illness or Physical Illness Affecting Competency or Chemical Dependency	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>60-90 days actual suspension and such additional time as may be necessary to obtain and review psychological or psychiatric evaluation and to implement any recommendations from that evaluation</li> <li>5 years probation; standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Supervised practice</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs.</li> <li>In addition:</li> <li>MENTAL ILLNESS:         <ul> <li>Psychological/psychiatric evaluation;</li> <li>psychotherapy.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery.</li> </ul>

		PHYSICAL ILLNESS: Physical evaluation; and if warranted: restricted practice      CHEMICAL DEPENDENCY     Psychological/psychiatric evaluation; therapy; rehabilitation program; abstain from controlled substances/use of alcohol, submit to biological fluid tests and samples; and if warranted: restricted practice.	
MFT: B&P § 4982(c), 4982.1 LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(c), 4992.35 LEP: B&P § 4986.70(c), 4986.75 4989.54(c), 4989.56 GP: B&P § 480	Chemical Dependency / Use of Drugs With Client While Performing Services	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>120-180 days minimum actual suspension and such additional time as may be necessary to obtain and review psychological/psychiatric evaluation and to implement any recommendations from that evaluation</li> <li>5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Psychological/psychiatric evaluation</li> <li>Supervised practice</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Supervised practice</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Rehabilitation program</li> <li>Abstain from controlled substances</li> <li>Submit to biological fluid test and samples</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs And if warranted, psychotherapy; restricted practice</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery.</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4982(i) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(i)	Intentionally / Recklessly Causing Physical or Emotional Harm to Client	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>90-120 days actual suspension</li> <li>5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Supervised practice</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Take and pass licensure examinations</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> <li>And if warranted, psychological/psychiatric evaluation; psychotherapy, restricted practice.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration application</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> </ul>

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MFT: B&P § 4982(d) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(d)	Gross Negligence / Incompetence	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>60-90 days actual suspension; 5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions; supervised practice</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Take and pass licensure examinations</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs;</li> <li>And if warranted: psychological/psychiatric evaluation; psychotherapy; rehabilitation program; abstain from controlled substances/use of alcohol, submit to biological fluid testing; restricted practice.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery.</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4982 CCR § 1845 LCSW: B&P § 4992.3 CCR § 1881 LEP: B&P § 4986.70, B&P § 4989.54 CCR § 1858 GP: B&P § 125.6 480, 821	General Unprofessional Conduct	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>60-90 days actual suspension</li> <li>3-5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Supervised practice</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery; reimbursement of probation program</li> <li>And if warranted: psychological/psychiatric evaluation; psychotherapy; rehabilitation program; abstain from controlled substances/use of alcohol, submit to biological fluid testing; restricted practice, law and ethics course.</li> </ul>	Revocation / Denial of license or registration     Cost recovery.

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MFT: B&P § 4980.40(h), 4982(a)	Conviction of a Crime Substantially	Revocation stayed	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or</li> </ul>
LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(a), 4996.2(d), 4996.18(a)	Related to Duties, Qualifications, and Functions of a Licensee / Registrant	60 days actual suspension	registration
LEP: B&P § 4986.20(c), 4986.70(a)	Turictions of a Licensee / Negistrant	5 years probation	<ul> <li>Cost recovery.</li> </ul>
B&P § 4989.20(a)(3),		Standard terms and conditions	
<u>4989.54(a)</u>		Supervised practice	
GP: B&P § 480, 490, 493		Education	
		Cost recovery	
		Reimbursement of probation program costs	
		(Costs and conditions of probation depend on	
		the nature of the criminal offense).	
		CRIMES AGAINST PEOPLE: Add:	
		Psychological/psychiatric evaluation;	
		psychotherapy; restitution; and if warranted:	
		rehabilitation program; restricted practice.	
		DRUGS AND ALCOHOL:	
		Add: Psychological/psychiatric evaluation;	
		psychotherapy; rehabilitation program; abstain	
		from controlled substances/use of alcohol,	
		submit to biological fluid testing; and if	
		warranted: restricted practice.	
		FISCAL AND PROPERTY CRIMES:	
		Add: Restitution, and if warranted:	
		psychotherapy; take and pass licensure exams;	
		rehabilitation program; restricted practice.	
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MFT: B&P § 4980.02,	Performing, Representing Able to Perform, Offering to Perform, Permitting Trainee or Intern to Perform Beyond Scope of License / Competence	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>30-60 days actual suspension</li> <li>3-5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs And if warranted, psychological/psychiatric evaluation; supervised practice; psychotherapy, take and pass licensure exams; restricted practice.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery.</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4982.25 LCSW: B&P § 4992.36 LEP: B&P § 4986.70 4989.54(h), 4989.54(i) GP: B&P § 141, 480	Discipline by Another State or Governmental Agency	Determine the appropriate penalty by comparing the violation under the other state with California law.  And if warranted: take and pass licensure examinations as a condition precedent to practice; reimbursement of probation program costs.	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery.</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4982(b) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(b), B&P §4992.7 LEP: B&P § 4986.70(b) 4989.54(b) GP: B&P § 480, 498, 499	Securing or Attempting to Secure a License by Fraud	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration application;</li> <li>Cost recovery.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery.</li> </ul>

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Penal Code: (PC) Welfare and Institutions Code: (WI)  MFT: B&P § 4980, 4982(f)	Misrepresentation of License / Qualifications	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>60 days actual suspension</li> <li>3-5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> <li>And if warranted: take and pass licensure examinations.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery.</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4982(q) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(q) - CCR § 1881(l) LEP: CCR § 1858(n) 4989.54(s) GP: B&P § 123, 480, 496	Violates Exam Security / Subversion of Licensing Exam	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4982(g) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(g), 4992.7 CCR § 1881(b) LEP: CCR § 1858(b), 1858(g) 1858(a) GP: B&P § 119, 480	Impersonating Licensee / Allowing Impersonation	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>60-90 days actual suspension</li> <li>5 years probation</li> <li>Supervised practice</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Psychological/psychiatric evaluation</li> <li>Psychotherapy</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation costs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4982(h) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(h)	Aiding and Abetting Unlicensed / Unregistered Activity	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>30-90 days actual suspension</li> <li>3-5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> <li>And if warranted: supervised practice.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> </ul>

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MFT: B&P § 4982(m) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(m)	Failure to Maintain Confidentiality	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>60-90 days actual suspension</li> <li>3-5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Take and pass licensure exams</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> </ul>	Revocation / Denial of license or registration     Cost recovery
MFT: B&P § 728 LCSW: B&P § 728 GP: B&P § 480	Failure to Provide Sexual Misconduct Brochure	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>1-3 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs.</li> </ul>	Revocation / Denial of license or registration     Cost recovery
MFT: B&P § 4982(r), 4982(t), 4982(u) CCR § 1833.1, 1845(b) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(r) LEP: CCR § 1858(j) CCR § 1881(h)	Improper Supervision of Trainee / Intern / Associate / Supervisee	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>30-90 days actual suspension</li> <li>2 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> <li>And if warranted: supervised practice.</li> </ul>	Revocation / Denial of license or registration     Cost recovery
MFT: B&P § 4982(e), 4982(u) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(e), 4992.3(r) LEP: B&P § 4986.70(e) 4989.54(f) GP: B&P § 480	Violations of the Chapter or Regulations by licensees or Registrants / Violations Involving Acquisition and Supervision of Required Hours of Experience	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>Registration on probation until exams are passed and license issued</li> <li>License issued on probation for one year</li> <li>Rejection of all illegally acquired hours</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs.</li> </ul>	Revocation / Denial of license or registration     Cost recovery

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MFT: B&P § 4982(0) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(0)	Pay, Accept, Solicit Fee for Referrals	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>3-5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> <li>Law and Ethics course</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation / Denial of license or registration</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4982(n) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(n) CCR § 1881(j) LEP: CCR § 1858(l) B&P § 4989.54(0)	Failure to Disclose Fees in Advance	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>1 year probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>30 days actual suspension</li> <li>2 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4980.46, 4982(p) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(p) CCR § 1881(k) LEP: B&P § 4986.70(d) 	False / Misleading / Deceptive / Improper Advertising	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>1 year probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>30-60 days actual suspension</li> <li>5 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4982(v) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(s) LEP: B&P § 4986.70(i) 4989.54(i)	Failure to Keep Records Consistent with Sound Clinical Judgment	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>1 year probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>30 days actual suspension</li> <li>1-3 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> </ul>

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MFT: B&P § 4982(y) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(v) LEP: B&P § 4989.54(x)	Willful Violation Of Chapter 1 (Commencing With Section 123100) Of Part 1 Of Division 106 Of The Health And Safety Code	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>1 year probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>30 days actual suspension</li> <li>1-3 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> </ul>
MFT: B&P § 4982(z) LCSW: B&P § 4992.3(w)	Failure To Comply With Section 2290.5 (Telemedicine)	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>1 year probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery:</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Revocation stayed</li> <li>30 days actual suspension</li> <li>1-3 years probation</li> <li>Standard terms and conditions</li> <li>Education</li> <li>Cost recovery</li> <li>Reimbursement of probation program costs</li> </ul>